



#### Nashville: Our Problem

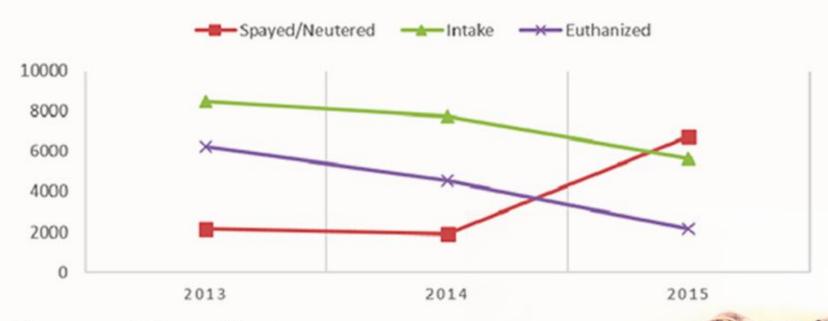
#### Healthy/Treatable Animals are Euthanized

- Animal Welfare Priority Needs to Be Elevated
- Historically Lacking Executive Leadership
- Inadequate Community-Wide Collaboration/Communication
- Missed Collaborative Funding Opportunities
- Insufficient and Inconsistent Community-Wide Data



## Nashville: Our Starting Point

#### YEARLY DATA



Courtesy of Target Zero

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Communities Who Have Achieved Our Challenge

Seattle, WA

Portland, OR

San Francisco, CA

Reno, NV

Salt Lake City, UT

Kansas City, MO

Austin, TX

Waco, TX

Huntsville, AL

Jacksonville, FL

Let's join these elite cities 😕





- Successful Public / Private Partnerships
- Innovative Approaches to Life Saving
- Best Practice Programming
- Strong Executive Leadership

## **Key Supporters**

#### **Mayor's Office**

#### **Metro Agencies**

Health, General Services, Police, OEM, Public Works, Nashville Farmers' Market, and Fire.

#### Local

Dedicated non-profit community willing to invest in Nashville and our challenge.

#### **National**

Target Zero, Best Friends Animal Society, PetSmart Charities, PetCo, American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, The Humane Society of the United States

### **Our PIP Team**

#### A shared vision and commitment



















## High Impact Community Service Partners



## **PIP Key Strategy**

Increased Investment (public/private)



Investment in Intake Prevention



Investment
In Life Saving
Programs



#### **PIP Actions**

Foster Care and Nurseries

Live Release Programs

Surrender Prevention Programs

Solutions for Community Cats

Targeted Spay/Neuter

Shelter and Public Policy



## **Benefits to Our Citizens**

- Reduction of pet overpopulation
- Reduction of euthanasia
- Reduction of homeless and unwanted animals
- Increased access to pet owner resources/services
- Improved public health/safety
- Improved quality of life
- Increased PRIDE that Nashville cares about our animals

## Let's Make This Happen

STEP 1 **ANALYSIS** 

A. In-depth gap analysis by national animal welfare consultants. Completed in three months.

B. Increase public/ private investment for spay/neuter and community cat program. Begin July 1, 2016. Cost: \$400K.

STEP 2 **STRATEGY** 

A. Develop Nashville's strategy through collaboration with partners around animal welfare. Completed October 2016.

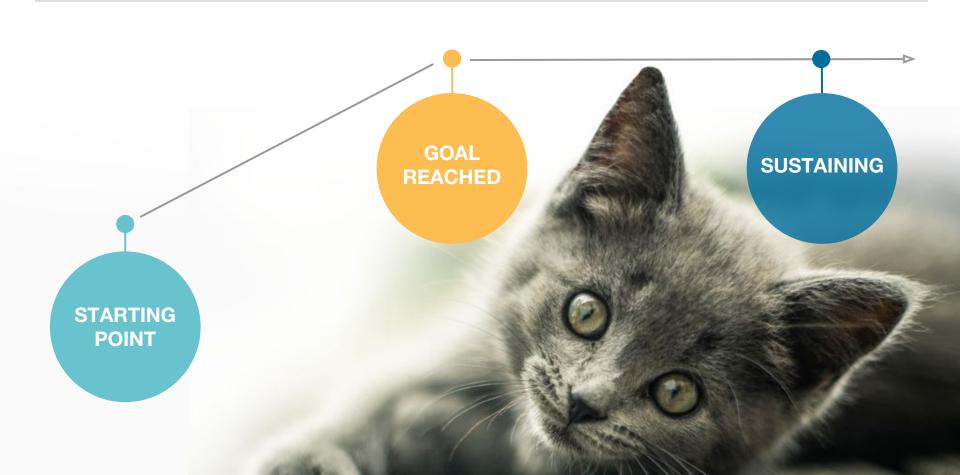
B. Identify benchmarks and mission accomplished timeline.

STEP 3 **IMPLEMENT** 

Implement agreed-upon strategy through community-wide collaboration and diverse investment funding sources.

Begin January 2017.

# Sustaining Our Accomplishments



## Let's Save Lives Together

We can accomplish our challenge with increased funding and collaboration



# Thank you. Questions?

